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LOCAL MAN SENTENCED FOR
POSSESSION OF CHILD PORNOGRAPHY

PRESS RELEASE

Susan W. Brooks, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana, announced

that STEPHEN J. DOLSON, 59, Indianapolis, Indiana, was sentenced to 27 months

imprisonment today by U.S. District Judge Larry J. McKinney following his guilty plea to

possession of child pornography. This case was the result of an investigation by the U.S.

Immigration and Customs Enforcement. The computer forensic analysis was conducted by the

High Tech Investigative Unit with the Child Exploitation and Obscenity Section of the Justice

Department.

DOLSON was charged by information in the Southern District of Indiana with one count

of possession of child pornography. Using the Internet, DOLSON would find and view child

pornography, bestiality, and adult pornography. After finding such images on the Internet,

DOLSON would save them to his computer and then copy the files to CDs that he stored in a locked safe.

According to Assistant United States Attorney Steven D. DeBrota and Trial Attorney Alexandra R. Gelber of the U.S. Department of Justice, who prosecuted the case for the government, Judge McKinney also imposed a fine of $6,000.00 and 3 years supervised release following DOLSON's release from imprisonment. During the period of supervised release, DOLSON must register as a sex offender, participate in sex offender treatment with periodic polygraph examinations, and have no unsupervised contact with minors. DOLSON must forfeit his computers and numerous other digital storage media used in the commission of the offense.

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